

TITLE OF INVENTION

**PROCESS AND APPARATUS FOR INCREASING
THE ISOTROPY IN NONWOVEN FABRICS**

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

10 A method for changing the position of fibers in a nonwoven web to improve
the isotropy of the web by using angled stream of fluid wherein the streams form a
substantially coplanar curtain and impinge on the fibers at their leading ends, trailing
ends or sides.